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The Air Carrier Association of America Salutes

Douglas Hofsass as the New Deputy Assistant Administrator

ACAA applauds TSA for selecting Douglas Hofsass to be Deputy Assistant Administrator for TSA's Office of Transportation Sector Network Management (TSNM) effective September 27, 2009. As part of his new assignment, he will build strong security networks and work with all segments of the aviation community to develop and maintain efficient and effective security policies, programs, and practices.

Doug Hofsass joined TSA when it started in 2002. After several positions he now serves as the General Manager for Commercial Aviation. Doug has worked closely with the airlines on aviation security programs, and strategic planning for commercial aviation security. We have worked closely with Doug for the past several years and by working with him, we have built strong security networks.

We look forward to working with Doug in this new role and know that together we can partner to continue to maintain the world's best security system.

Edward P. Faberman
Executive Director